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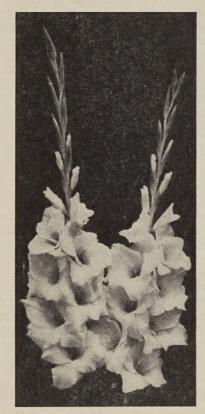
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# GLADIOLUS

21st Season



CONNECTICUT YANKEE

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59 BLISS ROAD, LONGMEADOW 6 SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

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### **FOREWORD**

Again let me say a simple "Thank You" for your valued patronage and the many fine letters you have sent me. The two oldest boys "Ed" and "Art" have been in the service now for some time with the youngest "Al" scheduled to go sometime this winter when he reaches 18. "Al" and I did pretty well this past season, but with the "old man" carrying on alone this coming season, it's going to be more difficult than ever. Last season we reduced the plantings from 8 acres to 4 acres with further reductions most likely.

I suppose growing gladiolus could be considered non essential, but you wouldn't think so to listen to the Florists and to folks who like their glads. Again it's not possible to drop growing glads for the duration and then pick it up again afterwards, because after having spent years in growing up stocks of new varieties and seedlings all would be lost as glads must be

planted each year in order to retain stock of a variety.

Prices have increased. Other than the natural increase in labor and all items of expense in growing glads, there has been a decrease in acreage with an abnormal demand for both bulbs and flowers which has produced a decided shortage. Also most growers are reluctant to sell bulbs of commercial varieties as the flowers bring 2 and 3 times as much as do the bulbs. As Andy would say, "that's the situation in a couple of nutshells." The wise person will order their bulbs early and specify second choices.

## BUY BONDS FOR FREEDOM! BUY GLADS FOR BEAUTY!

#### **GUARANTEE**

I guarantee satisfaction. If for any reason you are not satisfied, please write me and I will do my utmost to make satisfactory adjustment. Likewise, if you are pleased, I will be glad to hear of it.

#### ORDER EARLY

We both benefit when you order early. Early orders get the choicest bulbs with less chance of being out of any variety. Also, I have more time to put up your order, less chance of error and less overtime. Please order early!

With every order I include cultural directions.

Visitors are always welcome at my fields during the blooming season.

## PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

Cash with order, or 25% deposit if future delivery is desired, balance C.O.D. Delivery charges prepaid on orders of \$1.00 or more, except as elsewhere stated. If less, add 15c toward shipping cost. No order taken for planting sizes (No. 5 and No. 6) after Apr. 15th, and for large bulbs after May 15th. Can furnish mixtures until June 15th. No single item less than 10c. I ship anytime. Yes! I give overcount. Please do not hold me to any obvious errors that may appear in this price list.

If your order contains bulbs from the General List (which are Prepaid) and the Quantity List (which are not Prepaid) I will send the bulbs express collect and put in enough extras to more than offset the express charges.

Money orders should be made out to: Springfield, Mass., Postoffice.

# 3 New Introductions for 1944

For the past 3 years I have not introduced any of my own seedlings for the simple reason that I did not consider them good enough. I believe too many varieties are being introduced, many of them unworthy or no improvement on existing varieties. Consequently I like to feel quite sure of myself before introducing more new ones in this already overcrowded field. Ever since Bill Schenetsky has been taking his seedling 39-4 (and since named Conn. Yankee) to the shows I have tried to buy this variety. He has finally weakened and I have bought the entire stock. It took more than mere words to persuade him! I try out most of the new ones each year and consider Conn. Yankee one of the finest glads I have seen in years. I have not been able to find any serious faults with it. It has great beauty, health, vigor, exceptionally good placement and commercial possibilities. The stock is not large as yet, consequently the introductory price is not as low as I would like to have it. I am confident that this blushing beauty like the Yankees of old and of today will uphold the traditions of its namesake and become favorably known all over the country.

Likewise for several years now it has been my pleasure to watch the many seedlings of James LaSalle. He is a commercial grower and knows his glads. We have picked out two of his seedlings that have been outstanding in his gardens and picked some spikes of these two for the local florists and they have met with enthusiastic response. I consider them equally as worthy of introduction even though they haven't been exhibited at the shows and won prizes which I am sure they are capable of. More stock is available of these two consequently the introductory price is reasonable for two such grand glads. You will make no mistake in getting started with these two, namely:

Red Rival and Lavender Prince.

## CONNECTICUT YANKEE

(See cut on front page.)

Seedling No. 39-4 originated by William Schenetsky, originator of King William. Color, blush pink or light pink. Clean solid color with a most attractive red throat blotch. Double row of florets with 20-22 buds, 8 open, 4 showing color. Florets plain petaled and wide open. Flowerhead 24-28 inches. Height in field without special culture about 55 inches. Bulblet production and germination good. Strong grower with heavy, wide, dark green foliage and produces healthy bulbs. Blooms in 80 - 85 days.

#### AWARDS WON

Commendation, 1941—Connecticut Gladiolus Society Best Spike in Show, 1942—Connecticut Gladiolus Society Award of Merit, 1943—New England Gladiolus Society Award of Merit, 1943—Mass. Horticultural Society

## RED RIVAL

Color, very bright glowing red of exceptional brilliance, clean solid self. 6 very large blooms with 6 showing color on a 18 - 20 bud spike. Height in field without special culture about 55 inches. Medium bulblet producer. Strong grower and produces clean, healthy bulbs. Blooms in about 85 days.

Large	Medium	Small
1 - \$2.00	1 - \$ 1.00	1 - \$ .50
6 - \$10.00	6 — \$ 5.00	6 — \$ 2.50
12 — \$20.00	12 — \$10.00	12 — \$ 5.00

## LAVENDER PRINCE

This is a King Arthur seedling with other parent unknown. It is about two shades lighter than King Arthur, perhaps a shade between Minuet and King Arthur. Practically a self color. Very beautiful and quite an improvement on King Arthur. 6 medium sized blooms (4½"-4¾") on a 18 - 20 bud spike. The florets are wide open, arranged in good placement on a tall, wiry spike of about 55". Bulblet production and germination good. Produces solid, healthy bulbs. I feel confident this variety will take its place right in the front row among the lavenders.

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1 - \$2.00	1 — \$ 1.00	1 - \$ .50
6 - \$10.00	6 — \$ 5.00	6 - \$2.50
12 — \$20.00	12 - \$10.00	12 — \$ 5.00

# Descriptive list of Gladiolus

	Large				
	Per 11/4" Up	3/4"-11/4"	3/8"-3/4"	Per	
ABE (Ellis) Tall, salmon pink. Late. One of the last ones to bloom	1 .10 10 1.00	215 .75	310 .40	100	.20
ADMIRAL (Pfitzer) A medium ruffled red that looks good as a commercial	1 .25	.20	.15	10	.15
<b>ALADDIN (Palmer)</b> A large, bright, ruffled, salmon pink. 8-10 blooms open on a straight spike. This past season it grew tall enough to cut fine	10 2.00	1.50	1.00	100	.75
spikes.  ALGONQUIN (Palmer) Bright glowing scarlet with	1 .10 10 .75	215 .50	.30	100	.20
large wide open blooms. One of the best reds	1 .10 10 .80	215 .50	410 .30	100	.20
ALCHEMIST (Pfitzer) An early deep yellow. Flower heads rather short	1 .10 10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.20
ALCHEMY (Mitsch) Ruffled, light yellow. Widely spaced 4" blooms on very tall spike	1 .10 10 .75	210 .50		100	.30
<b>ALLEMANIA (Pfitzer)</b> Very tall, large medium red 5-6 very large blooms rather loosely placed on stem. Fine clear red	1 .10 10 .75	210 .50		100	.25
AMBERGLOW (Palmer) Tall, deep, clear amber yellow. 6-8 medium sized blooms on tall spike	1 .10 10 1.00	215 .75	315 .50	100	.30
AMERICAN COMMANDER (New) Red, similar to Comm. Koehl, perhaps a little lighter in color	1 .15	220	210	25 100	.10
<b>APACHE CHIEF (Ellis)</b> Very large and tall. Smoky of a decided brown tone, flecked deeper	1 .35	.25	.15	10	.25
<b>ARETHUSA (Fischer)</b> Early, light apricot, with cream throat, 6-8 open. Needlepoint type. Quite	10 2.50	2.00	1.20	100	.20
outstanding and different  ARIADNE (Mitsch) Tinted white with large red	10 .80	.50	.30		
blotch. Very striking blotched variety  ARIOSO (Pfitzer) Creamy white with small violet	1 .15 10 1.20	.10	215	100	.30
blotch. 6-8 open on medium spike  AVE MARIA (Pfitzer) Early medium blue. 5-6 large	1 .35	.20		10	.35
blooms on medium height spike  BADGER BEAUTY (Krueger) Very beautiful laven-	1 .10 10 .75	210 .50	410	100	.20
der. Medium height. 6-4½" blooms open. Wish it were taller	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10	10 100	.25 2.00
BARCAROLE (Palmer) Clear deep orange, 5-6 large ruffled blooms of good substance	1 .10 10 .80	215	210 .30	100	.25
BEACON (Palmer) Showy salmon scarlet with large cream blotch. Tall straight spike. Very popular and extra commercial	1 .10	210	410	100	.20
BEAUTIFUL DREAM (Kingsley) Midseason, tall	10 .75	.50	.30		
beautiful pink. Fine commercial  BINGO (Canine) Large cream, flecked and tinted	1 .10 10 .75	210	410	100	.25
pink. Because of its ability to open many flowers at a time has won at the shows  BIT O'HEAVEN (Crow) Deep orange with yellow	1 .10 10 1.00	215 .75	210 .50	100	.25
throat. Tall straight spike with 8-10 medium sized blooms open at one time	1 .10 10 .75	210	410 .30	100	.20
BLACK OPAL (Errey) Tall, dark red, with 6-8 large blooms, well spaced. Spike rather weak and foliage not too healthy	1 .10	215	210	100	.30
BLEEDING HEART (Brown) Blush pink with large red blotch. Good blotched variety	10 1.00	.75 210	.50	100	.25
BLUE ADMIRAL (Christ) Dark blue with 5-6 open blooms on a straight spike	10 .75	.50 215	210	100	.30
2000	10 1.00	.75	.50	200	.00

The state of the s	Large Per 1¼" Ur	Medium 34"-114"	Small 3/8"-3/4"		blets
texture. Medium height	1 .10 10 1.00		210	100	.40
pen, 5" blooms. Very good	1 .10 10 1.00		210 .50	100	.30
BOB WHITE (Zimmer) Large, tall, white, small rose blotch. Good late variety	1 .1	210		100	.20
BRIDES DELIGHT (Wilson) Large cameo pink with light yellow throat. Very beautiful	10 .75	.15	.10	10	.25
BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson) Formerly Buckeye Rose, Old rose suffused orange, Tall and distinc-	10 2.00		.80	100	1.50
tive. Very good	1 .25 10 2.00		.10 .80	100	1.00
small scarlet blotch on cream ground. 6-8 well placed blooms on a tall spike. Very good	1 .10 10 .75		410 .30	100	.20
<b>CAPEHEART (Winsor)</b> Large light salmon rose. 6-8—6" blooms on tall spike	1 .10 10 1.00		210	100	.40
CARILLON (Palmer) Beautiful clear rose pink with cream throat, 6 med, blooms open on tall spike. Very beautiful.	1 .10		410	100	.25
CENTENNIAL (Fischer) Giant red scarlet, fluted	10 .8	.50	.30	10	.15
blooms. Prize winner  CHAMOUNY (Baerman) Light cerise rose of velvety	1 .50		2.00	100	1.25
texture, light margining at edges of petals. Tall spike of 8-10 medium sized blooms. Different and extra good	1 .20		.10	10	.20
CHARLES DICKENS (Pfitzer) Very tall, purple, of medium sized blooms. Popular	10 1.60		.80	100	.20
CHARMAINE (New) Rose with darker throat. Good early cut flower	10 .7		410	100	.25
CHIEF MULTNOMAH (Ellis) Extra tall and large smoky. Prize winner. Outstanding	10 .8		.30	100	.35
CHIEF RED BIRD (Scheer) Fine large red, tall spike with rather short flower head	10 1.20		.50	100	.25
COLONIAL MAID (Young) Light lavender, with deeper flecks and lines in throat. Tall spike of	10 .7	.50	.30		
medium sized blooms  COLUSSUS (Mitsch) Mammouth pink, 7" blooms.	1 .10 10 .75		410	100	.25
Large size is the outstanding feature of this variety.	1 .10 10 .75		410 .30	100	.30
CONQUEST (Mitsch) Light salmon pink with cream throat. 6 open. Beautiful, refined early pink	1 .10	210	410	100	.30
COMM. KOEHL (Pfitzer) Medium red, tall spike. Probably most popular medium red	1 .10	210	410	100	.25
CORAL CLUSTER (Arenius) Clear coral pink with smaller deeper red lines in throat. 5-6 open. Always straight, well placed blooms	1 .1			100	.20
CORAL GLOW (Ellis) Glowing deep orange. Blooms are large, of heavy substance and well placed.	10 .7			100	.20
Prize winner at the shows	1 110 10 .8		410 .30	100	.30
corona (Palmer) Creamy white with rose edge on all petals. 6 large wide open blooms on tall spike. Strikingly different and becoming very	1 0	15	.10	100	.35
popular. Prize winner many times  DEL RAY (Burtner) Light red with cream throat.	1 .25	0 1.20	.80		
DR. BENNETT (Diener) The standard commercial	10 1.00	.75	210	100	.30
DR. HOEG (Hoeg) A lustrous, velvety maroon. A	10 .7	.50	410	100	.20
reliable deep red	10 .7		410	100	.20

### Action in spite of its opposite placement, is very popular on account of its bright vivid color. 10	DELAY OF THATMY (Finance) Lange room and	Large Per 1¼" Up	<b>M</b> edium 3/4"-11/4"			blets
EARLY ROSE (Jack) Early rose with darker blotch. Fine early variety					100	.20
EDITH GRACE (Harder) White with red throat blotch, Opens 6-8-41/8" blooms on a long flower head. Good cut flower variety.   ELLEN MARKE (Pruitt) Large and early salmon pink. Medium height, rather weak stem.					100	.20
Biblotch, Opens 6-8—44/* Notoms on a long flower- head, Good cut flower variety.   10	Fine early variety  EDITH GRACE (Harder) White with red throat				100	.25
ETHEL CAVE-COLE (Cave) Light pink, usually flaked Long fine spike of exhibition bloom	blotch. Opens 6-8—4½" blooms on a long flower-head. Good cut flower variety					
FirePLY (Palmer) Bright scarlet with cream line on lip. Early cut flower but does not grow too tall.   1.00					100	.25
The properties of tall   1	flaked. Long fine spike of exhibition bloom					
with cream throat. About 8 medium blooms open with many showing color	on lip. Early cut flower but does not grow too tall.				100	.35
Color   Colo	with cream throat. About 8 medium blooms open				100	.30
1	florets on a tall spike. Good cut flower				100	.20
priced yellow cut flower variety. Very early, medium sized blooms on tall splike. Very satisfactory cut flower	5" blooms, nicely spaced on a tall spike	1 1.00	.75	.50	10	1.00
COLDEN CHIMES (Ellis) Large, tall, ruffled pale yellow. Midseason. Very good	priced yellow cut flower variety. Very early, medium sized blooms on tall spike. Very satis-				100	.20
GRAND MASTER (Love) This variety makes a fine exhibition spike of deep maroon with 8-10 open on a tall spike. Fine		1 .10	210	410	100	.20
CRETA GARBO (Pfitzer) To me one of the most beautiful glads. Yellow suffused apricot or buff. Tall, fine grower with large blooms	exhibition spike of deep maroon with 8-10 open	1 .15	.10	210	100	.35
### HARMAU (Both) Early light orange red with deeper throat. Large wide open blooms. Fine	beautiful glads. Yellow suffused apricot or buff.	1 .15	.10	210		
### HARVEST MOON (Jack) Medium yellow. deeper throat. Tall, straight, 6-8 open		1 .25	.15	.10	10	.25
### Markings in throat. 5-6 open on medium spike 1 1.0 2-10 4-10 100 .20   ###################################	throat. Tall, straight, 6-8 open				100	.25
medium sized blooms on a tall, straight spike. Exhibition type	markings in throat. 5-6 open on medium spike				100	.20
name this is a very large and fine medium red. Fine for exhibition	medium sized blooms on a tall, straight spike. Exhibition type.				100	.30
well spaced on a tall, straight spike	name this is a very large and fine medium red. Fine for exhibition.				100	.35
purple, practically a self color. Grows 5 ft. tall, 5" blooms, 5 open, healthy dark green foliage, with well placed blooms on a straight spike	well spaced on a tall, straight spike	1 .35	.25		10	.35
IRAK (Mitsch) Clear silvery grey. Tall straight spike with 5-6 large blooms.     10     4.00     2.80     2.00     100     3.50       JASMINE (Palmer) Early ruffled pale yellow. Medium height. Beautiful.     1     210     410     100     .20       1     .50     .30       2     .10     210     210     100     .30	purple, practically a self color. Grows 5 ft. tall, 5" blooms, 5 open, healthy dark green foliage.	1 .50	.35	.25		
JASMINE (Palmer)         Early ruffled pale yellow. Medium height. Beautiful	IRAK (Mitsch) Clear silvery grey. Tall straight	10 4.00	2.80	2.00		
	JASMINE (Palmer) Early ruffled pale yellow. Medium height. Beautiful	1 .10	210	210	100	.30

And the second s	Large Per 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " Up		Medium 3/4"-11/4"			blets
JEANNIE (Pruitt) Beautiful clear rich pink with creamy throat. Tall, strong growth	1 10		.10	210	100	.50
J. S. BACH (Pfitzer) Orange salmon with lighter throat. 8-10 open on tall spike. Early	1 10	.10	215 .75	210	100	.25
JULES AMOTT (Wilson) Exhibition type medium red with 6-8 blooms open on tall spike	1 10	.25	.15 1.20	.10 .80	100	.75
KING ARTHUR (Arenius) Large, ruffled deep lavender. Fine color but does not always make a good spike, but when it does you've got some-		2.00				
thing.  KING LEAR (Palmer) Ruffled reddish purple.	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.20
Blooms loosely arranged on tall spike. Color very good.	1	.10 .80	210	410 .30	100	.30
KING MIDAS (Herridge) Deep yellow of medium sized blooms on tall spike	1 10	.15	.10	210	10 100	.10
KING TAN (Wilson) Rosy tan, practically a self color. Fine addition to the smoky class	1 10	.35	.25	.15	10 100	.30
<b>KING WILLIAM (Schenetsky)</b> A beautiful salmon and apricot blend. A paler Picardy. Tall, healthy, vigorous grower. Fine commercial or exhibition.	10	2.50	.10	210	100	.10
K & M's TRIUMPH (Pfitzer) Tall deen nink 5-6	10	1.20	.80	.50	100	.75
large blooms on tall spike. Very good  LADY JANE (Lake) Cream with yellow lip. Early	1	1.00	.75	.50	10	1.00
midseason with 6-8 medium blooms. Fine  LAIDLEY (Mair) Ruffled pink, lighter throat, deep-	1	.25	.15	.10	10	.25
er on outer petals. Very beautiful  LAVENDER QUEEN (Arenius) Deep violet lavender,	10	.75	210		100	.25
usually clear, sometimes flecked. Spike tall, straight, with 6-8 blooms perfectly placed. Midseason. Fine propagator	1 10	.10	210 .50	410	100	.25
LAVENDER RUFFLES (Wilson) Ruffled light lavender. 4-5 medium sized blooms on a medium height spike. Very pretty	1	.10	210	410	100	.30
LEADING LADY (Johnston) Creamy white sport of	10	.80	.50	.30		
Picardy. Like that variety except color. Outstanding.	1	1.00	.75	.50	10	1.00
LEGEND (Fischer) Light pink with lighter throat. 6 large blooms on tall spike. Beautiful	1 10	.25 2 <b>.00</b>	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10	.20
LEONA (Pruitt) Tall deep rose red. 6-8 open, well placed on tall spike. Popular	1 10	.10 .80	210 .50	410 .30	100	.30
prim type that is very attractive. Fine basket glad for decorative purposes	1 10	.10	210 .50	410	100	.25
L'UNIQUE (Alkemade) Clear lavender with many medium sized blooms on a straight spike	1 10	.10	210 .50	410 .30	100	.30
MAGNOLIA (Palmer) Light creamy rose, Large blooms with 6-8 open on a strong spike	1 10	.15 1.20	.10	210 .50	100	.35
MATD OF ORLEANS (Pfitzer) Best all around white. 5-6 medium sized, ruffled blooms on a tall spike.	1 10	.10	210 .50	410 .30	100	.20
margaret beaton (Twomey) Snowy white with small deep pink blotch. 6-8 large, well spaced blooms on a very long spike. Prize winner many times: Outstanding	1	.10	215	310	100	.30
MARGARET FULTON (Ogrodnichek) Early, clear	10	1.00	.60	.30	100	.50
Salmon pink. 6-8 medium blooms on a tall spike. Very widely grown	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.20
MARGARET PETER (Errey) Early white with large crimson blotch. Very showy	10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.25

		Large Medium Smal					
margot brunings (Pfitzer) Large pure pink, well spaced blooms on a medium spike	1 10	.10	215 .75		100	.35	
with lighter throat, 6" blooms, 6-8 open on a 20 bud spike. New and outstanding	1	1.00	1.00				
MARY DAMARIS (Clark) Beautiful shade of soft yellow. 5-6 well placed blooms on a medium height plant. Fine yellow	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.30	
master myron (Krueger) Rich, self colored bright red. 4-5—6" blooms on a tall spike. Very good red.	1 10	.20 1.60	.15 1.20	.10	10 100	.20 1.50	
MATTERHORN (Pfitzer) Very large white, 5-6 well placed blooms on tall spike. Fine for exhibition.	1 10	.15	.10	.00	100	.50	
MAUNGA (Burns) Very large pure white suitable for exhibition purposes	1 10	.15	.10		100	.50	
MAX REGER (Pfitzer) Light blue with deeper throat marks. 5-6 open on a medium spike	1 10	.10			100	.30	
MEERSCHAUM (Pfitzer) Pretty orange-yellow blend. 5-6 medium blooms on tall spike	1 10	.10	210		100	.25	
<b>MILFORD (Rides)</b> Clear azure blue with small deeper blotch. 5-6 open on tall spike. Best light blue.	1 10	.10	.10		100	.25	
MINUET (Coleman) Clear light lavender. This variety usually takes 1st prize in the lavender class at the shows. Also fine commercial	1 10	.10 .75	210	410 .30	100	.30	
MISS AMERICA (Salbach) Large, tall, flesh pink. Fine.	1 10	.10	215	210	100	.40	
MISS BLOOMINGTON (Kunderd) Early, tall, light yellow. 5-6 medium blooms open	10	.10 .75	210 .50	410	100	.20	
MISS ELEGANCE (Arenius) Tall, cream with small red line thru center of each petal. 5-6 open on tall straight spike.	1	.10 .75			100	.25	
MISS WISCONSIN (Krueger) Large cerise rose of great beauty. 5-6 wide open 5" blooms on medi- um tall spike. Fine addition to the rose colored	10						
glads.  MOHAWK (Dr. Stevens) A deep maroon, opening up to 8-five inch well spaced blooms on a tall spike.	1			.75	10	1.25	
Think this is about the best in the dark reds  MOROCCO (Pfitzer) Deep blackish red with a bright	10	.50 4.00	.30 2.40	.15 1.20	10 100	.25 1.50	
sheen overcast. 5-6 medium sized blooms on a tall slender spike	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30	100	.25	
Beautiful suffusion of light violet-salmon-pink. Different and very popular	1 10	.10 .75		410	100	.25	
MRS. MARK'S MEMORY (Pfitzer) Very large and tall purple. Outstanding	1	1.00	.75		10	1.00	
MRS. RICHARD McGOVERN (Wilson) Orange scar- let with many medium sized blooms open on a tall spike.	1	.25		.10	10	.25	
MYRNA (Pruitt) Ruffled creamy white. 6-8 wide open 5" blooms on a medium tall spike. When well grown makes a very imposing spike	10	.15	.10	.80	100	.35	
NEW ERA (Ellis) Beautiful, clear rose pink, blend- ing to a cream throat. Extremely ruffled and	10	1.20		.50			
frilled. 5-6 medium size blooms on tall, wiry stem. Beautiful variety	1 10	.10 1.00	215 .75	210	100	.30	
6-8 wide open 6" blooms on a tall, straight spike. Very outstanding.	10	1.50 12.00		.50 4.00		1.50	

	Larg		Medium 34"-114"		Bul	blets
NINTH SYMPHONY (Pfitzer) Clear salmon red with a silky sheen. 5-6 wide open blooms on tall	101 1/4	- Op	9/4***== 7/4**	98 <b>-</b> 94	T. C.I.	
spike. Beautiful color	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410	100	.25
NORTHERN LIGHTS (Kunderd) Large rose pink with lighter throat. Large well placed blooms						
on a tall spike	1 10	.10 1.00	215 .75	210 .50	100	.30
<b>NORWOTTUCK (La Salle)</b> New smoky. 6-8 wide open 6" blooms on a 6 ft. spike. Fine exhibition.	1	.25	.15		10	.25
<b>OEGANDA (Pfitzer)</b> Probably the blackest glad. Very dark red, opening 5-6 medium sized blooms	10	2.00	1.20		100	1.50
on a tall, wiry spike	1 10	.15 1.20	.10 .80		100	.50
OHIO NON PAREIL (Wilson) Large scarlet red with 6" blooms and a long flowerhead. Many						
times a show winner	1	.50	.35	.25	10	.50
<b>OREGON GOLD (Majeski)</b> Light yellow with deeper throat. Tall massive plant with many large wide open blooms open. Extra good	,	7.00	75	50	10	7.00
PARNASSUS (Ristow) Very large purple. 4-5 ruffled	1	1.00	.75	.50	10	1.00
6" blooms on tall spike	1 10	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 100	.25 2. <b>0</b> 0
<b>PAUL GRAMPEL (Pfitzer)</b> Early bright medium red. 5-6—open on medium height spike. This						
looks like a fine early red cut flower	1 10	.15 1.20	.10 .80	210 .50	100	.50
<b>PEGGY LOU (Wilson)</b> A rose pink that has won many prizes at the shows. Very long flower spike. Fine exhibition type	1	.10	210	410	100	.20
PELEGRINA (Pfitzer) Deep violet blue. 6-8 medium	10	.75	.50	.30	100	
sized blooms on a rather weak spike. Early, Considered best dark blue	1	.10	210	410	100	.20
PICARDY (Palmer) Most famous and popular glad	10	.75	.50	.30		
grown today. Large salmon pink with 5-6 open on tall spike. Has won more prizes at the shows than any other variety and I think 10 times as						
many Picardy are grown than any other one variety. It's got everything a good glad should						
have.	1 10	.10 .75	210 .50	410 .30 ½	100 pt.	.20 1.00
PINK RADIANCE (Quakenbush) Light pink 5-6	100	5.00	3.50	2.00		
large blooms well spaced on a tall spike. Extra	1 10	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	.10	10 100	.15 1.00
PINNACLE (Arenius) Rose pink, blending to a lighter throat. Tall, straight spike with 8-10 open	10	2.00	1.20	100	100	1.00
and many showing color	1 10	.15 1.20	.10 .80	210 .50	100	.30
<b>POLAR ICE (Pfitzer)</b> Early pure white, 5-6 open, blooms face open on a stiff, straight spike	1	.10	210		100	.20
PRIMROSE PRINCESS (Salbach) One of the older yellows with slight red lines in throat	10	.75	.50 210		100	.20
PRINCE OF INDIA An old time smoky. Not too tall,	10	.75	.50		100	.20
but quite distinctive and appealing if you like smokies	1	.10	215		100	.30
PURPLE BEAUTY (Roozen) Rich dark purple. 4-5	10	1.00	.75			
open on a tall spike. This is one of the best purples.	10	.10 1.00	215 .75	210 .50	100	.30
RED LORY (Errey) Rose red with large deeper blotch. 10 open on a tall spike. Exhibition type	1	.10	210	.50	100	.25
RED PHIPPS (Briggs) Light red. 5-6 medium sized	10	.75	.50		7.00	-
blooms on tall, straight spike	10	.10 .75	210 .50		100	.20
REGENT (Palmer) Scarlet. 6-8 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. This makes a fine exhibition	1	.10	215		100	.30
variety	10	1.00	.75		200	.30
blooms rather loosely attached to a tall spike. An eyeful.	1	.10	215	210	100	.30
	10	1.00	.75	.50		

	Large Per 1¼" Up	Medium 3/4"-11/4"	Small 3/8"-3/4"		blets
RIMA (Mitsch) Pale lavender or orchid blush. 5-6 large well placed blooms on a tall spike. Very beautiful.	1 .15 10 1.20			100	.40
ROSA VAN LIMA (Holland) Light rosy pink with a touch of lavender in the throat. 5-6 wide open 5" blooms on a tall spike. Early and prolific bulblet producer. Good both for exhibition or for					
cut flowers. A beautiful outstanding glad  ROSY MORN (Riley) Light coral rose, sometimes	1 .10 10 .75		410 .30	100	.20
flecked. Opens 5-6 large, well placed blooms on a strong spike. Fine.	1 .20 10 1.60		.10 .80	10 100	.20 1.00
<b>RUDOLF SERKIN (Pfitzer)</b> Dark pansy blue. 4-5 medium sized blooms on a medium plant	1 .15 10 1.20			100	.40
SENSATION (Marshall) Massive spike and plant. 6-8 very large blooms of soft rose. Late	1 .20 10 1.60		.10 .80	10 100	.10 .75
SHIRLEY TEMPLE (Pruitt) Very large, ruffled cream. 5-6 open on a tall spike. Spikes have a tendency to crook, but in spite of this it is proving a very popular variety	1 .10 10 .75		410 .30	100	.20
<b>SILENTIUM (Pfitzer)</b> Tall, white with small carmine throat blotch. Opens 5-6—5" blooms well placed on tall slender spike. Very good	1 .20	.15	.10	10	.20
SMILING MAESTRO (Christ) Deep salmon pink. 6-8 very large blooms on a fairly tall spike	10 1.60 1 .10 10 .75	210	.80 410 .30	100	.25
<b>SNOW PRINCESS (Pfitzer)</b> Creamy white with 6-8 well placed 5" blooms on a tall spike. Used extensively as a cut flower, white	1 .10	210	410	100	.20
SPANISH CAVALIER (Ellis) Bright red with cream throat. 5-6 large blooms on tall spike. Fine red	10 .75 1 .15 10 1.20	.10	.30 210 .50	100	.35
STAR OF BETHLEHEM (Pfitzer) Large, white with cream throat. 5-6 open on a tall spike	1 .10 10 1.00	215	.00	100	.20
STREAK O'BUTTER. Very tall bronzy yellow: 5-6 medium sized blooms on very tall, straight spike.	1 .10 10 1.00	215	210 .50	100	.35
SURFSIDE (Winsor) Ruffled white with pencil line in throat. 7-8 ruffled blooms on a tall spike.  Beautiful late white	1 .10 10 1.00		210 .50	10 100	.10
<b>SWEET ALIBI (Canine)</b> Deep salmon pink with cream throat. 4-5 medium sized blooms on a tall, straight spike	1 .10	210	410	100	.30
TAKINA (Burns) Purplish red. 6-8 mammoth blooms on a tall spike	10 .75 1 .10 10 .75	210	.30 415 .30	100	.30
TREASURY GOLD (Wilson) Rich golden salmon. 6-8 large blooms on a tall, husky plant. Very good	1	.20	.15	10 100	.25 2.00
VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) Brown toned with a bright scarlet blotch, 6-8 well placed blooms on a tall spike, Sensational smoky	1 .1		410	100	.25
VALERIA (Pruitt) Light red or scarlet, 5-6 nicely spaced 5" blooms on a straight stiff spike. If the bulblets would germinate well this would be	10 .7		.30	100	.25
an ideal red cut flower	1 .1		210 .50	100	,25
red. 4-5 large blooms on a rather short flower head	1 .1 10 .7			100	.30
large well placed blooms on a very tall spike. Won best spike in the show at Boston this last summer.	1 .1· 10 1.0		210 .50	100	.30
<b>VREDENBURG (Pfitzer)</b> Early pure white. 4-5 well placed blooms on a medium tall spike. Valuable as an early cut flower. White	1 .1 10 .7	0 210	410	100	.25

	Large		Large Medium		Bul	plets
	Per 11/4	" Up	3/4"-11/4"	3/8 17 - 3/4 17	Per	
vulcan (Dr. Stevens) Fine new purple of a red violet shade. 6" blooms with 5-6 open on a tall spike. Very good	1	.75	.50	.30	10	.50
	10	6.00	4.00	2.40	100	4.00
WALK OVER (Pfitzer) Medium red. 3-4 very large			2.00			
florets on a tall spike	1	10	215		100	.35
	10	1.00	.75			
<b>WENONAH (Kinyon)</b> Salmon pink, 10-12 medium sized florets on a tall spike. It surely opens a						
lot of florets at one time	1	.10	210		100	.25
	10	.75	.50			
WHITE FANTASY (La Salle) Pure white with a touch of lavender in throat. Very early with						
6-8 wide open blooms well spaced on a straight						
spike. Fine early cut flower	1	.15	.10	210	100	.40
WHITE GOLD (Scheer) Mammoth cream, blending	10	1.20	.80	.5 <b>0</b>		
to yellow in throat. 4-5—6" blooms on a tall						
spike. Very vigorous and tall grower. Due to its						
earliness and large size will undoubtedly be-						
come a popular cut flower	1	.60	.40	.20	10	.50
	10	5.00	3.00	1.50	100	4.00
WHITE TRIUMPHATOR (Salman) Very large pure						
white. 5-6 large well placed blooms on a tall spike.	,	.10	215		100	.40
Spike	1 10	1.00	.75		100	.40
ZUNI (Mitsch) Pleasing combination of salmon and	10	1.00	.10			
slate with a purplish suffusion. 8-10 ruffled						
medium sized blooms on a long flower head.						
Very fine smoky	1	.10	215	210	100	.30
	10	1.00	.75	.50		

# Unlabeled Collections of Assorted Glads

Many folks desire to plant glads in the garden for cut flowers, but do not care to fuss with the labeling of the different kinds. To satisfy this need I make up special collections of named varieties but unlabeled. In making up an assortment of 100 glads, I usually put in 50 varieties of 2 bulbs each, thus making sure of good color balance. However, if you prefer or dislike certain colors, just mention it and I will act accordingly. These same varieties if bought under name would cost several times the purchase price.

Kainbow	Collection	De Luxe	Collection
Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs	Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
11/4" and up	3/4" to 11/4"	11/4" and up	3/4" to 11/4"
<b>25</b> — \$ <b>1.</b> 50	25 — \$1.00	25 - \$2.50	25 <b>—</b> \$1.25
50 — \$3.00	50 — \$1.75	50 — \$5.00	50 — \$2.50
100 \$5.00	100 — \$2.75	100 - 10.00	100 — \$5.00
200 — \$9.00	200 — \$5.00	200 - 18.00	200 — \$9.00

# QUANTITY PRICES - F.O.B. SPRINGFIELD, MASS. NOT PREPAID

Priced per 100, 25 bulbs at 100 rate. Those marked with \* (asterisk) can be supplied by the 1000 at 8 times the 100 rate. 250 at 1000 rate.

No. 1—1½" and up	No. 2—	1¼" to	11/2"		No. 3-	-1" to	11/4'	,
No. 4—3/4" to 1"	No. 5—	½" to	3/4"		No. 6-	-Under	1/2"	
		1 2	3	4	5	6	Bull ½ pt.	olets qt.
*ALADDIN (Palmer) Large salm	non 4.0		2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00	3.00
ALGONQUIN (Palmer) Extra r	ed 7.0	00 6.25	5.50	4.75	4.00	3.00	3.00	10.00
*ARETHUSA (Fischer) Ruffled a	pricot. 4.	00 3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
ARIADNE (Mitsch) White, red	blotch. 7.0	00 6.25	5.50	4.75	4.00	3.00	3.00	10.00
BARCAROLE (Palmer) Ruffled	orange 4.	00 3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	2.00	7.00
*BEACON (Palmer) Scarlet and o	ream 5.0	00 4.50			2.50	2.00	1.00	3.00
BEAUTIFUL DREAM (Kingsley	y) Pink 6.0	00 5.25	4.50	3.75			1.50	5.00
*BIT O'HEAVEN (Crow) Tall of	range 4.0	00 3.25	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.00
BLUE BEAUTY (Pfitzer) Mediu	ım blue -				2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
*BOB WHITE (Zimmer) Blotche	d white 4.0	00 3.25	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00	3.00
BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson)	Bronze. 10.0	00 8.50	7.25	6.50	5.50	4.50	3.00	10.00
*CAMELLIA (Palmer) Blush Pi	nk 4.	00 3.25	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00	3.00
CHAMOUNY (Baerman) Rose.	12.0	00 10.50	9.00	7.00	5.50	4.00	3.00	12.00
COLUSSUS (Mitsch) Large pin	k 5.	00 4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
CONQUEST (Mitsch) Salmon p	ink 4.	00 3.50			_		1.00	3.00
COMM. KOEHL (Pfitzer) Late	red 5.0	00 4.25		_	—		1.50	5.00
CORAL CLUSTER (Arenius) pi	nk 4.0	00 3.00			_		1.00	3.00
*CORAL GLOW (Ellis) Deep or	ange 7.	00 6.25	5.50	4.75	4.00	3.00	2.00	7.00
DR. BENNETT (Diener) Scarle	t 4.	.00 3.50	_		2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
*DR. HOEG (Hoeg) Deep maroo	n ·	- 3.25	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.25	1.00	3.00
*DREAM OF BEAUTY (Zimmer	) Rose. 4.	.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
GARDENIA (Scheer) White	5.	00 4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
*GOLD DUST (Pfitzer) Deep yel	low 5.	00 4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	3.00
GRETA GARBO (Pfitzer) Soft r	ose 8.	00 7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	4.00	15.00
HILDRED (Love) Lavender	6.	.00 5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.25	1.50	5.00
HINDENBERG'S MEMORY (								
Red		7.00		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	7.00
*IRAK (Mitsch) Grey		- 3.50		2.50	-		1.50	4.00
KING ARTHUR (Arenius) Lav		00 3.50		2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
*KING WILLIAM (Schenetsky)		00 8.50	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	15.00
*LAVENDER QUEEN (Arenius)		00 4.25			2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
*LOUIS D'ORR (Pfitzer) Orange		00 3.50				_	1.00	3.00
L'UNIQUE (Alkemade) Lavend		00 4.25		3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
*MAID OF ORLEANS (Pfitzer)		00 4.25		_	_	_	1.00	3.00
MARGARET BEATON (Twomey		.00 5.25		3.75	3.00	2.25	4.00	12.00
*MARGARET FULTON (Ogrod								
Pink		00 3.50		_	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Bull	olets qt.
*MINUET (Coleman) Lavender	_	4.50	_	_	_	_	1.50	5.00
MOHAWK (Dr. Stevens) Maroon	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00	5.00	20.00
*MOROCCO (Pfitzer) Dark Red	4.00	3.50				-	1.00	3.00
*MOTHER MACHREE (Stevens) Smoky	5.00	4.00		naturan	-	_	1.50	5.00
MYRNA (Pruitt) Ruffled white	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	4.00	12.00
NINTH SYMPHONY (Pfitzer) Red	4.00	3.50	3.00	_	_	_	1.00	3.00
NORWOTTUCK (La Salle) Smoky	15.00	12.00	9.00	_			10.00	30.00
*PEGGY LOU (Wilson) Pink	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
*PICARDY (Palmer) Salmon	5.00		_	_	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
PRIMROSE PRINCESS (Salbach) Yel-								
low	4.00	3.00	_		_	_	1.00	3.00
*PURPLE BEAUTY (Roozen) Purple	6.00	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.25	2.00	6.00
REWI FALLU (Fallu)	_	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
*ROSA VAN LIMA (Holland) Rose pink	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
SHIRLEY TEMPLE (Pruitt) Cream	4.00	3.50	3.00	_	_	_	1.00	3.00
SILENTIUM (Pfitzer) White	10.00	8.50	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	15.00
SMILING MAESTRO (Christ) Pink	4.00	3.25	_	_	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
*SNOW PRINCESS (Pfitzer) White	5.00	4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	3.00
TAKINA (Burns) Purplish red	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) Smoky	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
*VALERIA (Pruitt) Scarlet	5.00		_	_	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
*VREDENBURG (Pfitzer) White	4.00	3.50	_	_	2.50	2.00	1.00	3.00
WHITE FANTASY (La Salle) White	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	8.00
ZUNI (Mitsch) Smoky	5.00	4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00



(One of my many exhibits at Boston)

## CARE AND CULTURE

#### SOIL AND FERTILIZER

Glads do well on most any soil if they are planted in the open garden where there is plenty of sunshine. You may work well rotted manure into the soil in the Spring by putting into the bottom of your planting trench, then covering with an inch of soil, then planting your bulbs. Vigoro is also good. Two or three applications of commercial fertilizer may be made on the surface along the rows during the growing season before the plants bloom. Any fertilizer should be kept from direct contact with the bulb or foliage. If you wish to grow immense spikes you must fertilize heavily; your plants must also have at least an inch of water every three or four days.

#### PLANTING

Work soil to a depth of eight inches, or ten inches will be better. For large bulbs they should be covered with not less than six inches of soil. The deeper planting helps keep them upright when blooming. Smaller bulbs should be planted not less than two inches. You may regulate your distance apart in the row by the space you have. Plant rows anywhere from 2 ft. to 3 ft. apart. Plant in rows from two to six inches apart, depending on space and number of bulbs. They do well planted close together, but require more water.

#### DIGGING AND STORAGE

Our early stock is taken up in late September. The bulbs should be taken up within six weeks to two months after blooming but before the tops begin to get brown. Even if the tops are green, bulbs should be taken up before the ground freezes deeply. After digging cut off the tops close to bulb and put in screen bottomed tray to cure. They should have plenty of ventilation while curing and must not be put in containers more than three or four inches deep. Stir them every few days and keep dry. In four weeks they will be cured so that old bulbs may be removed from the bottoms. They may then be placed in storage.

The storage temperature is best at 40 to 50 degrees. Your storage room should be dry, cool and ventilated and as near uniform as possible as to temperature. It is well to look at your bulbs every two or three weeks. If they are showing signs of too much moisture or looking mouldy, dry them out and give better ventilation. Keep them in small containers and spread thin.

#### THRIP

The adult Gladiolus Thrip is a very small black insect about one-sixteenth of an inch long. The injury causes bleaching of the foliage and drying up of the buds so they do not open.

Start spraying when the plants are up 6 or 7 inches high, and spray every week or 10 days. The Government experts recommend 2 level tablespoons of TARTAR EMETIC (purchase at any drug store), ½ lb. brown sugar, 3 gals. of water. Keep this concoction well stirred while using as a spray.

If you are thorough in following out a program of spraying you will have no trouble with Thrip.

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